

## Time Frame

May 20 (Kids to Parks Day) to September 4 (Labor Day), 2017

Did you know that Columbia's park system has more than 40 parks with playgrounds? Each playground is different and play features vary from park to park. Columbia Parks and Recreation is presenting a challenge to children along with their parents or guardians to get out this summer and explore the variety of playgrounds at Columbia's parks.

## The Challenge

From May 20 (Kids to Parks Day) to Sept 4 (Labor Day), 2017 visit playgrounds at ten or more different parks, track your visits, and turn in your completed tracking sheet to Columbia Parks and Recreation to receive a prize.

## Instructions

Fill out one tracking sheet for each child. Fill in the date you visited each park (from May 20 to September 4, 2017). Be sure to answer the question at the end as to your child's favorite play feature and sign the form. Use any of the following avenues to turn in your tracking form by **September 21, 2017** to the Parks and Recreation main office:

- In person: Parks and Recreation Office, 1 S. 7th Street, Columbia, MO 65201
- By mail: Parks and Recreation, P. O. Box 6015, Columbia, MO 65205-6015
- E-mail: Scan tracking sheet and email to ParksandRec@CoMo.gov

Find park locations in the "Parks and Facility Guide." Pick up a guide at one of the Parks & Recreation offices or print one online. Park information can be found online at [www.CoMo.gov](http://www.CoMo.gov) (search: Park Directory).

## Prizes

- 10 playgrounds: One ARC youth daily pass\*
- 20 playgrounds: One ARC youth daily pass\*, plus one entry for the grand prize
- 30 playgrounds: One ARC youth daily pass\*, plus two entries for the grand prize
- 40 playgrounds: One ARC youth daily pass\*, plus five entries for the grand prize
- GRAND PRIZE: \$100 Parks & Recreation Gift Certificate

\*If submitted in person, children have a choice of other prizes (while supplies last). If we receive your submission by mail or e-mail, we will mail you an ARC youth daily pass.

## Deadlines

- Visit park playgrounds from May 20 (Kids to Parks Day) to September 4 (Labor Day), 2017.
- Turn in your tracking form for each child no later than **September 21, 2017**.
- Grand prize winner will be announced on September 28, 2017.

## Take Photos!

Take photos of your family playing on various park playgrounds to submit in an online Parks and Recreation photo contest coming soon!



# Visit Your Park Playgrounds Challenge



**PARK** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE VISITED** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Again St. Park \_\_\_\_\_

Albert-Oakland Park (2 playgrounds)

2. Playground by Shelter 1 (E) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Playground by Shelters 2-3 (N) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Auburn Hills Park \_\_\_\_\_

5. Barberry Park \_\_\_\_\_

6. Bear Creek Park \_\_\_\_\_

7. Brown Station Park \_\_\_\_\_

8. Cascades Park \_\_\_\_\_

9. Cliff Drive Park \_\_\_\_\_

10. Cosmo Park \_\_\_\_\_

11. Cosmo-Bethel Park \_\_\_\_\_

12. Douglass Park \_\_\_\_\_

13. Downtown Opt. Park \_\_\_\_\_

14. Dublin Park \_\_\_\_\_

15. Eastport Park \_\_\_\_\_

16. Fairview Park \_\_\_\_\_

17. Flat Branch Park \_\_\_\_\_

18. Grasslands Park \_\_\_\_\_

19. Highpoint Park \_\_\_\_\_

Indian Hills Park (1 of 2 playgrounds)

20. E Playground (Sandrock Dr.) \_\_\_\_\_

W Playground (Aztec Blvd.) *(under renovation)*

21. Jay Dix Station \_\_\_\_\_

22. Lange Park \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: American Legion playground under renovation.*

**PARK** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE VISITED** \_\_\_\_\_

23. Lions-Stephens Park \_\_\_\_\_

24. Longview Park \_\_\_\_\_

25. Louisville Park \_\_\_\_\_

26. McKee St. Park *new!* \_\_\_\_\_

27. Nifong Park *new!* \_\_\_\_\_

28. Oakwood Hills Park \_\_\_\_\_

29. Parkade Park \_\_\_\_\_

30. Rock Bridge Park \_\_\_\_\_

31. Rock Quarry Park \_\_\_\_\_

32. Rothwell Park \_\_\_\_\_

33. Shepard Blvd. Park \_\_\_\_\_

34. Smiley Lane Park \_\_\_\_\_

35. Smithton Park \_\_\_\_\_

Stephens Lake Park (3 playgrounds)

36. Gordon Shelter Playground \_\_\_\_\_

37. Happy Hollow Playground  
(Access #36 & #37 from Broadway)

38. Riechmann Pavilion Playground  
(Access #38 from Walnut St.)

39. Twin Lakes Rec Area \_\_\_\_\_

40. Valleyview Park \_\_\_\_\_

41. Waters-Moss MWA \_\_\_\_\_

42. Westwinds Park \_\_\_\_\_

43. Woodridge Park \_\_\_\_\_

44. Worley St. Park \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILD'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FAVORITE PLAY FEATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARK LOCATION** (of favorite feature): \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL PARKS VISITED:** \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that we visited the playgrounds at the park locations indicated on this form, and that we had fun exploring them!

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature